

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of )  
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 Sidney C. Alford )  
 ) Art Unit  
 Serial No.: 10/500,880 ) 3644  
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 Confirmation No.: 1313 )  
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 Filed: July 7, 2004 )  
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 For: DEVICE FOR THE DISRUPTION OF )  
 EXPLOSIVE ORDNANCE )  
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 Examiner: John W. Eldred )

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that the shortened statutory period which was set for responding to the Office Action dated March 8, 2006 be extended for two-months until August 8, 2006.

PTO-2038 Credit Card Payment Form in the amount of \$450.00 is enclosed for payment of the fee associated with this Petition, as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee or to credit any overpayment in connection with this Petition to Deposit Account No. 23-3178.

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefore and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 23-3178.

Dated this 8<sup>th</sup> day of August 2006.

Respectfully submitted,

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